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THE NORTH ADAMS DAILY TRANSCRIPT SATURDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 21 1897.

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## Peaches, Melons and Green Corn

I am receiving every morning the finest the market affords and all orders intrusted to me will be very carefully attended to.

## Shaker Bread

direct from the oven Try one loaf and be convinced of its real merit.

P. & C. Sardines, new packed; also Penang bone less in all sizes.

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## TRY OUR Pastry ...Flour

We have the best. We have also a full line of BREAKFAST CEREALS.

## White & Smith, City agents for Shaker bread.

## Sweet Potatoes

are coming very nice and we have a supply of them. We are receiving some very nice Missouri Peaches from headquarters. We are well prepared to furnish picnic seekers with a complete line of goodies for their lunch baskets. Pickled Limes, Olives, Onions, Mixed Sweet and Sour Pickles. Plain Gerkins, and Chow Chow, both in bulk and in bottles. Fine quality home Tomatoes and Celery. Prices Right.

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## SAMUEL GULLY & CO.

## A Midsummer Clearing Sale of

## Shirt Waists

500 shirt waists, the choicest of this summer's styles, to be closed out at an immense reduction to dispose of the balance of our stock. Note the cut in prices we have made to reduce the stock quickly.

\$1.25 and 75¢ waists at 50¢.

\$1.25, 1.25 and 1.00 shirt waists at 75¢.

\$1.75, 1.60, 1.50 shirts waists at \$1.00.

\$2.25, 2.25, 2.25 and 2.00 shirt waists at \$1.25.



These waists must be sold during August; you will save money if you buy our shirt waist counter.

## SAMUEL GULLY & CO.

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## Local News!

### WHITING CO-RESPONDENT.

Libel for Divorce Filed by Edward D. Goodrow of Dalton.

A libel for divorce was filed in the county clerk's office Friday by Edward D. Goodrow of Dalton against his wife, Nellie E. Goodrow. William H. Whiting of Pittsfield, the state house, Don Juan, is named as co-respondent. Whiting is now in Nova Scotia, and Mrs. Goodrow is supposed to be in Connecticut with her mother, so that the libel will have to be served by publication. The libel alleges that Mrs. Goodrow and Whiting committed crimes on March 31, 1893, March 14 and April 1, 1897, and at various times between June 1, 1897, and the present time, Somerville, Boston and this city are named as the places where the crimes are alleged to have been committed. It is probable that the case will not be contested; the libel will be heard at the October sitting of the civil superior court. This affair has attracted considerable attention in Pittsfield and Dalton, where all of the parties are well known, and comes as a sort of climax to the doings of Whiting, which have been recently published.

### District Court.

The following cases were tried at the district court this morning:

Charles, Eddie and Claude Collett, small boys, were charged with malicious mischief in destroying personal property. D. Smit of Liberty street was the complainant and he said the boys had broken the limb of a pear tree on his place and made themselves generally objectionable. Considerable evidence was put in. The court said that a pear tree was real estate instead of personal property and discharged the boys, adding that the evidence showed that trespass had been committed and that the boys would be liable under another complaint. The court warned the father of the boys to keep them off Mr. Smith's premises.

Frank Gandette was fined \$5 for assault and battery.

Patrick Custer, a Polander, was fined \$10 for assault and battery on his 12-year-old daughter Maggie. The offense consisted of whipping with undue severity.

The continued case against Arthur Gorry for horse stealing was further continued to September 4.

Louis Levick, Lawrence Kelly and Daniel Michaels, young boys, were fined \$3 each for rude and disorderly conduct. Two or three other boys who were arrested with them were discharged.

State Agent Morton was present to investigate the juvenile cases.

### A GANG OF TRAMPS

Make Their Headquarters in the Park and Sleep in Outhouses.

It is reported by people living in the vicinity of Kemp park that a gang of five or six tramps have been making their headquarters in the park and that they sleep in the outhouses there. So far as heard from no depredations have been committed, but the people do not like the presence of the men and would be glad if they were arrested or moved on.

### AN ARTICLE OF FAITH.

Because it Has Been Proved in North Adams.

The remarkable cures accomplished in North Adams by California Catarrh Cure during the last seven months are something to astonish and convince the most skeptical. No wonder the people believe in it; no wonder a prominent druggist lately said: "Belief in California Catarrh Cure is an article of faith in North Adams, because people know for themselves, without regard to what any interested parties say, of cures it has wrought among their friends and neighbors." Why? People have suffered for years, and never dreamed they could get any relief by using anything and some day a friend says: "California Catarrh Cure cured me, it will cure you, and you won't have to wait to find out about it either. It relieves to find out about it either."

Here are the words of one of your neighbors now, telling why she believes in it. You know that it is true because you know her.

Mrs. Edgar Montgomery, 35 Brooklyn street, North Adams, says: "I feel grateful to California Catarrh Cure for the way it has relieved my little boy. His head was in a terrible condition; catarrh had so affected the passes of the nose that it was hard work for him to breathe, and he was constantly sniffling. Since using C.C., which I got at Burlingame & Darby's drug store, the relief has been so great that he can now breathe easily and sleep better nights; it has also greatly lessened the sniffling which was very annoying to me, and I think by a thorough use will cure him entirely."

California Catarrh Cure is sold in a great big bottle for 50 cents, and one nearly three times as large for one dollar. Nothing else is "as good" no matter who says so for nothing else cures as quickly.

California Catarrh Cure is sold at all drug stores.

In cases of Hay Fever, California Catarrh Cure gives instant relief, and used in season it will entirely prevent the malady.

\*Ice cream soda, 5¢ at J. H. C. Pratt's.

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## Local News!

### SPORTS AND OFFICERS.

Arrangements for the Largest Athletic Diocesan Amateur Meet.

The officers of the Springfield diocesan amateur athletic association met at Cockey's hotel, Springfield, Friday evening to decide on the program of games to be held at the annual field day of the Springfield diocesan and total abstinence union at Turners Falls Labor day. It promises to be one of the largest, if not the largest, amateur meet ever held. Three hundred and fifty entries have already been received, 16 societies being represented. The Sacred Heart Father Mathew society of Springfield sends a strong team of nine men with 25 entries. The following is the list of events: 100-yard triat heats, mile run, finale in the 100-yard dash, 120-yard hurdle race, 400-yard dash, half-mile run, 220-yard hurdle race, 220-yard dash, two-mile run, finale in 220-yard dash, running high jump, putting 16-pound shot, pole vault, hop, step and jump, running broad jump.

The officials are as follows: Marshal, W. J. Carmody of Worcester; referee, W. L. Larkin of Worcester; starter, G. P. Buckley of Holyoke; clerk of course, P. F. Ryan of Worcester; assistant, H. M. Stoughton of Worcester; J. E. McCullough and C. O'Donnovan of North Adams, D. F. Farrel of Pittsfield, B. H. O'Brien of Worcester, J. F. Powers of Westfield; scorer, W. F. Barrington of North Adams; announcer P. J. Marlow of Worcester; judges of finish, W. E. Flynn and Thomas E. Holland of Worcester, and W. F. Fahy of Pittsfield; timer, W. F. Haggerty of Webster, W. Bowes of North Adams, James J. McNeil of Chicopee Falls; field judges, J. P. McKeon and Martin Delaney of Worcester and J. J. Flinn of Springfield; inspectors, J. J. McManus of Dalton, W. F. Harrington of Hinsdale, T. C. Greene of Westfield, P. F. Ward of Fitchburg, York O'Carroll and H. E. Burn of Worcester.

Church Notices.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

Regular Sunday services. Union service at Congregational church.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. A. C. Osborn, D. D., will preach Sunday morning on "Seeking the Heavy-"

"In the evening on "Success in Christian Life."

METHODIST CHURCH.

Preaching by the pastor in the morning.

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Rev. Henry Hopkins will preach Sunday morning. A special musical program is arranged for the evening. Rev. Dr. G. W. Brown will preach.

Y. M. C. A. SERVICES.

Rev. A. B. Church will lead the regular open air meeting at Kemp's grove at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Special music will be rendered. Sidney Braman will lead at the Y M. C. A.

ADVENT CHURCH.

Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

CRIME UNENDING.

A Life Sentence at Fitchburg and an Indictment for Murder.

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Friday's Ball Game.

Renfrews Defeated by the Local Team at the Fair Grounds.

The North Adams team defeated the Renfrews at the fair grounds Friday afternoon in a loose and rather uninteresting game. The score was 9 to 7. The batting was bad. Gallagher was pitcher for North Adams and Smith was in the box for the Renfrews. The errors ran up on the Renfrews. The score by innings: North Adams, 0 2 0 0 3 0 4—9; Renfrews, 4 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 2—7. There was no game this afternoon.

The New Case.

Herbert C. Joyner of Great Barrington, who is one of the most prominent lawyers in Berkshire county, stated Friday that the charges which are to be preferred against John C. New, register of deeds for southern Berkshire, are true, it was his opinion that the county commissioners could not remove New from office in the manner in which they proposed. Mr. Joyner is of the opinion that the statute regarding inactivity of office holders does not apply in this particular case. However that may be, unless Mr. New resigns, charges are to be brought against him, and the matter is to be thoroughly gone over.

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### RELATIVES IN THIS CITY.

Have Bad News From the Terrible Railroad Accident Near Troy.

A fatal accident occurred on the Troy and New England railroad about 9 o'clock Friday morning. Passenger car No. 5 north bound, due in Albany at 9:10 o'clock, collided with repair car No. 101, south bound, on its way to a break in the electrical service about five miles from Albany. Two men were killed, a woman seriously cut about the head, and several others bruised. There were about thirty-five passengers aboard the car at the time, including a number of women, all of whom were on the way to the city to view the parade at Troy.

The killed and injured were: Robert Sixty, 56 years of age, residing at West Stephentown; both legs cut off at the knee; died upon reaching the hospital. Perry Scrivens, motorman, residence on Billings avenue; both legs cut off and otherwise injured. Died Friday evening. Ellen Briggs, aged 62 years, residing at Stephentown Center; part of left ear cut off and severe gash on neck; injured internally. George Brown, motorman, residing at Sandlaker; shot out on face; not serious. Man, name unknown; knocked senseless; suffering from shock and slightly bruised; recovered shortly after accident. Several others were bruised but not seriously.

Mrs. Briggs, who was severely injured, as noted above, is the mother of A. I. Briggs, who lives in the Bradford block in this city, and of Mrs. W. A. Coon of 11 Summer street. They were surprised and shocked to hear of the accident to their mother, but are pleased to learn today that the injured woman is better and will recover.

### HOME FROM CONVENTION.

Chief Byars Returns From New Haven With a Good Report.

W. W. Byars, chief engineer of the fire department, returned Friday night from New Haven, Conn., where he had been attending the 25th annual convention of the International association of fire engineers. The session was held four days and was one of much interest and importance.

The convention was formally welcomed to New Haven by Mayor F. B. Farnsworth and others, and during its session topics of live interest to all fire departments were discussed by fire chiefs of the country.

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# NEW STOCK OF BEAUTIFUL SILVER NOVELTIES

LARGE VARIETY. Seals, Vaseline Jars in Silver and Gold. Toilet sets, Scissors, Paper cutters, Manicure sets, Amethyst ends, very handsome Book marks, Heart shapes engraved souvenirs of Drury Academy, the Normal School, or Hoosac Tunnel.

OLD AND RELIABLE WILSON BLOCK JEWELER

## L. M. Barnes

### Good Homes and Splendid Investments

Among the bargains I have for sale I would call particular attention to the following: One-half acre and 1/4 acre of land on Richview Avenue.

Two new houses on Ashland street, one a two-story house, the other a single story house on Ashland and Davenport streets, no grad or lifting.

Several other desirable investments in other parts of the city.

### E. J. CARY,

36 Ashland Street  
Real Estate Bought and Sold.

### NOTICE.

All those who play the violin, banjo, mandolin or guitar, or those who anticipate taking up either instrument should send their address as I have something to your interest. Send at once.

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General

### Insurance

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This agency is the oldest, largest, and strongest in Western Massachusetts, representing 40 leading Foreign and American companies.

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For days longer than by any other steamer.

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One Yard  
Two Telephones  
Four Articles

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AND STRAW.

Sold at Lowest Cash Prices

Drop us a postal card, it will secure prompt attention. Coal thoroughly screened. Wood cut for stoves or grates. Wood cut for stoves or grates.

Office and Yard, Branch Office, of Ashland St. 121 Main St. Telephone 51-2. Main Office 147-4.

### W. H. Gaylord.

### Summer Goods

Closing out sale of Linens, Organdies and Summer Dress Goods at astonishingly low prices.

### Parasols

Will be sold at one-half the regular price.

Complete stock of Black Dress Goods at old prices.

### W. H. Gaylord.

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### AT ADAMS TODAY

#### CHURCH NOTICES.

Methodist.

Preaching: Sunday morning and evening by the pastor. The regular meeting of the Epworth League will be held at 6 o'clock, Miss Jennie Gurney will lead. The topic will be "St. Paul's Prayer for the Church." The ladies will serve their regular supper Wednesday evening.

St. Mark's Episcopal.

There will be no Sunday services on account of the absence of the pastor.

Baptism.

At the morning service Rev. William A. Briggs of Oak Park, R. I., a former pastor, will occupy the pulpit. In the evening the regular meeting of the Young People's Union will be held and W. E. Davis will lead. The subject will be "The old man and the new man."

The regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society will be held at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Regular prayer meeting Thursday evening.

Note Dame.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Children of Mary will take place Sunday.

Congregational.

Rev. Miles B. Fisher will preach morning and evening. The regular meeting of the V. P. S. C. E. will be held in the Congregation house Tuesday evening.

Jenks Family Reunion.

What promises to be a pleasant event is the reunion of the descendants of Edmund and Jessie Jenks, to be held at Jenks farm, the old homestead, at Wesley T. Simmons' farm on the road to Pumpkin Hook. The date is September 2. A large number of invitations have been issued. Dinner will be served at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, followed by speeches. Those in charge will be, Mrs. W. S. Jenks, Mrs. E. J. Noble, Mrs. E. Burlingame, Mrs. C. L. Chilson, Mrs. W. T. Simmons and Miss Alice Babbitt, assisted by Misses Grace and Mary Jenks, Clara M. Simmons, Daisy Babbitt, Mary L. Jenks, Selinda Babbitt, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chilson, Mrs. L. Richardson, Mrs. H. T. Cady, Charles E. Jenks, E. H. Jenks, Jabez C. Jenks, Henry Jenks and Lawrence Jenks.

A Gift to the Library.

Julius C. Anthony made the public a present of a book entitled "A Souvenir of Massachusetts Legislature 1897." The book is leather bound and contains half tone pictures of all the Massachusetts legislators. Among them is a half tone of Mr. Anthony with the following article: "Julius C. Anthony, Republican, of Adams, was born in that town September 21, 1858; educated in the public schools. Is a merchant, member of Masons and Knights Templar, being past master and past high priest, connected with the fire department for 20 years. On committee on street railways in House of 1897. Vote of district, Julius C. Anthony, Republican, 906; Patrick Hennessy, Democrat, 576.

Kissing Animals.

An Extremely Dangerous Habit Often Indulged In.

At Lenox one morning last autumn I was witness to two little incidents that read me lesson, which I may be pardoned for reciting.

Walking from the postoffice, I met a friend who had arrived at his cottage the previous evening. Stopping to greet him, I found him very enthusiastic over an imported hound which he had brought with him and of which he spoke with the greatest admiration. I am not such a lover of dogs and can as some people are, but it is always good policy to be interested in that which interests others, and one or two questions on my part led my friend to turn about and talk me by the arm and escort me to his place to see that wonderful dog.

There was no doubt that it was a remarkably beautiful and that it had a good pedigree, but to my eye a hound 6 months old comes as near to being ungainly as any animal. Such a gaunt body on snub long and shaggy legs is at best little less than ludicrous. To add to this, my friend's solicitude for the little animal, and his enthusiasm were just a little nauseating, but the climax was reached when, as the pet disposed itself on the lawn in its awkward grace, a fat farmer's big, black dog ran up from the street to make friends with the little fellow from France.

"Here, here," my friend exclaimed in the greatest excitement, running out to intercept the rural beast, "here! Go off at once! Go on, go on!" "That dog will not bite him," I hastened to say, recognizing the old Dandy dog that every citizen knows.

"Presto! Presto! Presto not!" was the reply. "But I wouldn't have any dog living rub noses with Glorieux."

Then I laughed.

"Very careful of his associates, aren't you?" I remarked.

"Careful?" repeated my friend. "Certainly I am. Why, that is a most dangerous thing for another dog, older than my puppy, to smell of his nose. It is liable to communicate tapeworm, don't you see? If Glorieux were an old dog, it would be different, but no owner of a fine puppy over permitted familiarity from older dogs."

Hardly half an hour later, returning homeward, I passed a house where on the front veranda a nursery maid had a child, perhaps 2 years old, and with it a sleek mastiff. I was attracted to the scene as I passed. The child was so raving with delight, and the great, yellow-beasted, at the maid's bidding, was "kissing little Charlie," "showing little boy how much Fido loves him." The dog would lick the child's face, meanwhile wagging its tail with pleasure, and encouraged by the little one's laughter. The mother of the child was standing from the door down between the maid and the child, and then the tragedie began a pretty picture, though silly, and I should have forgotten it if the next moment had not the previous incident been fresh in my mind. It led me to think and to investigate. Here was a dog's owner pronouncing for his pet the caresses given a neighbor's child. So! Children should never be permitted to have a dog or cat lick the face, and more than that, there should never be any kissing of the pets. It may be without harm, but it is not free from danger. That which my friend maintained is quite true. Veterinary authorities state that the eggs of the tapeworm of the dog (Taenia caninum) and that of the cat (Taenia ellipsifera) are frequently found upon the tongue of the animals, and "persons from a mistaken familiarity with these animals, may be contaminated with these parasites, common in the human organism, is more common to the dog, one authority going so far as to say that the animal is almost never free from it. Let an infected dog "kiss" or lick a child's lips, and the possibility of communication is not far removed." —Baby hood.

Yellow Belle, sold for \$100 at Lexington, Ky., a month later brought \$1,125 at New York.

Messrs. Wallace Bros. of Walnut Hills, Ky., have moved their stable in Lexington to Lexington.

The well known starting judge, Frank Walker, has been engaged for the Glens Falls (N. Y.) meeting.

Barney Donahue paid \$1,350 for Bert Oliver, 2:08%, and will campaign him this year. He has stables at Fleetwood.

George St. Clair is no longer a citizen of Lexington, Ky. He has sold out his interest in the firm of St. Clair & Evans to W. V. Evans and returned to his old Ohio home.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

their home in Zylonite Friday of cholera infantum. The funeral will be held Sunday morning.

Miss Delia M. Perry and her father, John Perry, and Miss Vina Duchaine have returned from Montreal, Quebec, where they visited a month. Miss Perry will resume her work in W. E. Green's store Monday.

Two concerts will be given on the band stand next week by Lafayette and German bands.

The regular meeting of the pastor's class will be held at Trinity Methodist church this evening.

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4 MARTIN'S BLOCK, NORTH ADAMS, MASS.  
This Week - - A Week of Specials

## Black Dress Goods Specials

Cool evenings are being experienced by us already. The prices quoted below will be of great advantage to intending purchasers of dress goods.

1 piece mohair novelty, 50 inches wide, formerly sold at \$1.25 a yard—now 75¢ a yard.

3 pieces mohair novelty, 38 inches wide, formerly sold at 75¢ a yard—now 55¢ a yard.

8 pieces mohair novelty, 38 inches wide, formerly sold at \$1 a yard—now 60¢ a yard.

1 piece diagonal suiting, 50 inches wide, formerly sold at \$1 a yard—now 60¢ a yard.

1 piece canvas cloth—38 inches wide, formerly sold at 75¢ a yard—now 50¢ a yard.

3 pieces English serge—38 inches wide, formerly sold at 75¢ a yard—now 50¢ a yard.

Navy Dress Goods Specials.

1 pieces—Mohair novelty, 50 inches wide, formerly sold at \$1.25 a yard—now 75¢ a yard.

3 pieces—Diagonal Suiting, 50 inches wide, formerly sold at \$1 a yard—now 75¢ a yard.

1 piece—Diagonal suiting, 38 inches wide, formerly sold at 60¢ a yard—now 50¢ a yard.

Other Dress Goods Specials.

3 dress lengths—Silk and wool novelty, formerly sold at \$2 a yard—now \$1.25 a yard.

3 dress lengths—Silk and wool novelty, formerly sold at \$2 a yard—now \$1.50 a yard.

3 dress lengths—Silk and wool novelty, formerly sold at \$1 a yard—now \$0.75 a yard.

1 special lots consisting of pieces that have sold at from 15 to 50¢ a yard, will be displayed on counters at 5, 10, 15 and 25¢ a yard.

All remnants—just half price.

## Summer Coat Specials.

The very thing for these cool evenings—Summer coats—choice \$2. One lot summer coats, choice \$2. All other coats—just half price.

## Summer Capes Specials.

They are again in season—Ladies' take advantage of these extremely low prices. Capes that have been formerly sold for—\$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5, \$6.7, \$8, \$9, \$10, \$12, \$15 and \$17 will now be sold for—\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$6.75 and \$7.50 each respectively.

## Shirt Waist Specials.

Cambray waist, all sizes, formerly sold at 75¢ each—now 25¢ each.

Lappet mail waist, slightly soiled, formerly sold at 45¢ each—now 20¢ each. Lappet mail waist, white collars, formerly sold at \$1.25 each—now 60¢ each.

All other shirt waists that were formerly sold at \$1, \$1.50, \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3 each will now be sold for—50¢, 75¢, \$1.25, 1.35 and 1.50 respectively.

## Silk Waist Specials.

The prices quoted are meant to make these waists move—

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## RUM AND RAILROAD

They Make a Dangerous Combination for a Charlemont Farm Hand.

## FOUND IN VERY BAD CONDITION.

Bones Broken and Generally Cut and Bruised. Was Struck by a Train.

Taken to the Hospital

in this City.

A Fitchburg freight train arriving in this city about 7 o'clock this morning had on board a man who was found on or near the track about a mile and a half west of Charlemont. He was badly injured and was undoubtedly struck by a train some time Friday night. He was much chilled when found, and had evidently lain on the ground for several hours after being injured.

The ambulance was called and the man was taken to the hospital, accompanied by Dr. Stafford, who was called to the depot when the train came in. Examination showed his injuries to consist of a broken nose, broken lower jaw, fractures of both bones in the right arm, a fracture of the left leg below the knee, a severe scalp wound and numerous cuts and bruises on the lips and other portions of head and body. The fractures were reduced and wounds dressed by Dr. Carr, the attending physician at the hospital, assisted by Dr. Stafford.

The man was Frank Stannard, who said he had been working on a farm in Charlemont. He was in this city Friday, and while he did not get into a condition to warrant his arrest, "he had his skates on," as one of the officers who noticed him remarked this morning. He left for home towards night on a freight or passenger train, and the probability is that after leaving the train he was walking the track toward home when he was overtaken and knocked out by another train.

It is also likely that he carried a bottle to reinforce the stimulation he had acquired here, and the chances are that he was more intoxicated when the accident occurred than when he left this city.

He is doing as well as could be expected and his recovery is looked for.

## STAMFORD.

A party of 25 of our townspersons had a carriage drive and picnic on Mount Greylock Sunday August 17. The clouds were blown away and it proved to be a delightful day to look off. Some of the party thought Stamford village looked the best of any place they could see. Fortunately we do not all have to go to Greylock mountain to appreciate the beauty of this village.

Mrs. F. O. Winans was detained from attending the picnic Tuesday on Greylock by the illness of her son Olin, who is now well again.

Last Wednesday, August 18, the Baptist Sunday school which numbers about 80 went to Hoosac Valley part of a picnic. Many went down with their own team and nearly 40 old and young, went in the four-horse load and took the electric cars at North Adams. Recitations and singing by the children were in order and all had a good time.

Mrs. Charles Roberts had friends from Montague visiting her last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Sanford and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith from Williamstown made short calls on some of their friends here Friday as they were on their way home from New Hampshire where they have been taking a carriage drive.

Some of the ladies met Friday afternoon at the vestry of the Baptist church to see about the carpets.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bishop are taking a carriage drive.

Miss Lila Lamfair from Greenfield is with her mother, Mrs. Ward Millard.

Mrs. Stella Spruill and Mabel Stroud of North Adams have helped their Uncle John Stroud harvest the hay crop. They are very proficient hay tamers.

Letty Leuse on West Hill who has been out of health for a long time has been taken to the Insane Asylum at Northampton.

Myrtie Powell from Hancock is visiting friends here. She attended the picnic and had a fine time.

Ernest Ames is improving rapidly. He was taken to his aunt's, Mrs. Eli Blood Tuesday morning after the accident.

Harry Haver has finished work for Obed Hall.

Charles Huntley from Schenectady is visiting at F. O. Winans.

Lovaine Ballou of Kansas was calling on friends here Thursday.

J. O. Sanford is slating his building.

## POWNAL.

A large party from Ladd's farm picnicked at Snow Hole on Taconic mountain today. There were about 20 in the party. This place is becoming more popular every year for picnics, as the snow and ice in August is a feature but rarely seen in New England.

Thomas Hour Hall, Eben Hawkes and Lewis Moon attended the Army of the Potomac reunion in Troy Friday. They reported the president as "looking like his picture." All had a grand time.

The Pownal people who went to the horse race in North Adams Friday came home feeling that they had had a poor return for their money.

Dr. Jefferson's liver, nerve and blood pills do the business. At J. H. C. Pratt's

## LIGHT ON THE TAX QUESTION.

Tomorrow's Sunday Democrat will present some facts in regard to the assessors' work never before made public, which will be likely to change many people's views on the question.

Manager Lawson in London.

Baseball Manager Lawson is now located in London, England, and a letter from him that will interest his friends in this city will be published in the Sunday Democrat tomorrow.

Your wheel repaired at the Bicycle Livery, 22 Summer street. Best work at the lowest prices. Tandems and single, Easy running wheels to let.

## FRIDAY'S RACES

John R. Gentry and Robert J. Startled Nobody With Great Speed.

## JUST SHAVED TRACK RECORD

Horses Were in Good Condition But Were Not Speeded. Track in Bad Condition for the Favorites. Small Attendance.

The exhibition miles of John R. Gentry and Robert J., the two fastest pacers in the world, given at the fast grounds yesterday afternoon developed nothing phenomenal in speed and was not as satisfactory as was expected. The owners of the horses evidently considered them too precious to spend them on the local track. The attendance was about 2,000 and there is no doubt but that the management lost money.

The horses were in excellent condition but the track was very heavy and unsatisfactory. The drivers of the famous pacers said that the track was the worst the horses had ever speeded upon. It was announced that no great speed could be obtained because of the wretched track condition, and the result bore out the announcement.

The track record of 2:16 1-4 held by B. B. Hiram Fox of New Haven, Ct., was lowered only one quarter second. John R. and Robert made the same time, 2:16 and one stretch. Robert J. made the greatest speed. The horses were pacer by Gold Brick, a handsome runner. Besides the poor track, the pacers were handicapped with a bad wind. On a trial John R. Gentry stepped into a small hole and broke for the first time this year. The other races, trot and bicycled races had no very important features.

The riding of Perry Isabell of this city in the novice bicycile race was very good. The time made is equal to most of the novice races on the best tracks. The young man has a promising future as a rider. This afternoon's program consisted of the 2:24 class trot and pace, sprinting, running race, and an exhibition by Earthquake Pilot, the guideless wonder.

Robert J. and John R. Gentry will leave today. The judges were C. H. Sibley of Hoesick Falls, N. Y., D. B. Andrews of Cambridge, N. Y., and W. B. Hill of Greenwich, N. Y. Mr. Sibley was timer.

The Summary.

John R. Gentry, pacer; time, quarter-mile 35; half 1.05, three-quarters 1.43, mile 2.16.

Robert J., pacer; time, quarter-mile 33; half 1.07, three-quarters 1.41, mile 2.16.

2:40 CLASS-TROT AND FACE-PURSE \$200.

Lucretia, b, m, Frank Riley, Hoo-

lock Falls, N. Y., 1 1

Dandy, g, g, E. O. Williams, Mon-

tage, 2 2

Anne B., b, m, M. R. Murray, Cam-

bridge, N. Y., 3 3

Della M., b, m, Joseph Golden,

Saratoga, N. Y., 4 4

Time, 2:32, 2:32, 2:32.

Two-mile open, bicycle—Won by C. M. Bly of Northampton; Arthur Clark of Bennington, Vt., second; H. White, third; time, 5:31.

One-mile bicycle, novice—Won by Perry Isabell; Holiday White, second; Doane Messier, third; time, 2:35.

One-mile bicycle, open—Won by C. M. Bly, Arthur Clark, second; Doane Messier, third; time, 2:49.

Half-mile runner—Won by Phil Datey; Robbie, second; time, 55.

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Rev. A. E. Church will preach his fare-

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